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In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed July 31, 1998 requesting that new corrected drawings be filed, we hereby transmit formal drawings for the above-captioned case, consisting of Figures 1-9 on 16 (sixteen) sheets of drawings. These drawings are identical to the formal drawings accepted in Applicant's U.S. Patent No. 5,538,497.

The drawings in the above-identified application have been objected to as failing to meet certain formal requirements. The enclosed formal drawings are believed to satisfy all of the objections raised by the Patent Office Draftsman in this case.

Acceptance of the enclosed drawings is respectfully requested.

In the event that any fee is required to be paid in connection with the present submission of formal drawings, please charge the cost of the same to Deposit Account No. 16-0221.

A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for the convenience of the Patent and Trademark Office.

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